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MOTION BY SUPERVISOR MARK RIDLEY-THOMAS

June 19, 2012

**Proclaim “Make Music Day in Los Angeles County**

On Thursday, June 21, 2012, each person in Los Angeles County can enjoy free music as part of Make Music Los Angeles, a one-day festival where music and community are celebrated with free performances throughout the County. Some of these venues include libraries, restaurants, plazas, and other public and private spaces (for a comprehensive list and schedule of performers, please visit [www.MakeMusicLA.org](http://www.MakeMusicLA.org)).

Make Music Los Angeles is based on France’s Fete de la Musique, a national music holiday inaugurated in 1982. This festival has grown to include more than 460 cities in 110 countries, with music performed on the same day, the summer solstice, throughout the world. Make Music Los Angeles is made possible through the partnership of neighborhood organizations, businesses, schools, parks, and other public and private venues, with time donated by many dedicated community organizers.

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It is well recognized that music stimulates brain activity, reduces stress, and when enjoyed in a public forum, helps build the concept of community. The Board of Supervisors should encourage all to participate in one of the local concerts.

**THEREFORE, I MOVE THAT THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS:**

Proclaim June 21, 2012 as Make Music Day in Los Angeles County, and encourage all residents and visitors to participate by attending a concert.

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